DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·47	6·61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·81	12·37	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Weeding in ragi fields.

State of standing crops.—Fair.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and harrowing operations are being carried on in parts of all the taluks and weeding in parts of the Anekal Taluk.

Crops sown.—Ragi and avare in parts of the Bangalore Taluk; and paddy in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy; sugar cane, til, ragi and avare are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested and their estimated outturn.—Til in parts of the Kankanhalli Taluk, yield 6 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. But for the prevalence of plague in parts of the Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore Taluk, and of Channarayapatna Hobli, Devanhalli Taluk, public health is good.

12. But for Black-quarter prevalent in parts of the Virupakshipura and Malur Hoblis of the Channapatna Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing and sowing operations are carried on in the Kolar, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli and Malur Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and sowing alone in the Chintamani, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks.

Crops sown.—Ragi in almost all the taluks; avare and togari in the Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks; and paddy in the Kolar, Sidlaghatta and Malur Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Ragi and avare in the Kolar and Chikballapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; and sugar cane in the Kolar, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks, are reported to be in a fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair in most places. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes. Rainfall is reported to be insufficient in all the taluks except Chikballapur and Sidlaghatta.

11. There were some cases of cholera in the Kolar Town and in parts of the Mulbagal Taluk, and a few cases of plague in the Goribidnur and Malur Taluks. Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available only in limited quantities.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Sowing and harrowing operations are being carried on.

Crops sown.—Ragi in the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi, Tiptur and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; avare and togari in the Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; horse gram in parts of the Maddagiri Taluk; save in parts of the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks; haraka in parts of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; navane in parts of the Sira, Gubbi and Pavagada Taluks; paddy in parts of the Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks; castor in parts of the Koratagere Sub-Taluk and ground nuts and chillies in parts of the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in parts of the Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield from 2 to 8 annas and paddy in parts of the Kunigal Taluk.

Condition of standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, cholum, castor, paddy, sugar cane, ground nuts, til, black and green grams, haraka, navane, save, baragu and gingelly are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Rain is wanted in some parts of the Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Kunigal Taluks.

11. Plague is prevailing in Chikkatotlakere and Mallikunte villages in the Tumkur Taluk, in Kadagathur village in the Maddagiri Taluk and Mattighatta village in the Tiptur Taluk. Public health is otherwise generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available. Fodder is stated to be not quite sufficient in the Sira Taluk.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi in parts of the Chamrajnagar and Malvalli Taluks and transplanted paddy in parts of the Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

The state of standing crops is reported to be good. But the Amildars of the Chamrajnagar, Hunsur, T.-Narsipur, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks report that want of rain is felt for the standing crops which are withering. The Amildars of the T.-Narsipur and Mandya Taluks, report that cholum is infected with insects and that the affected crops have been forwarded to the Entomologist for examination.

Crops harvested.—Til in parts of the Malvalli and Mandya Taluks, and sugar cane in parts of the Nagamangala Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in four villages of the Nanjangud Taluk, in one village in each of the Seringapatam, Hunsur and Gundlupet Taluks and in the Hunsur and Malvalli towns, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi, paddy, sugar cane in the Hassan Taluk; barawadi paddy and ragi in the Manjarabad Taluk; paddy, ragi, avare, castor, chillies and til in the Arkalgud Taluk; ragi, paddy, sugar cane, togari and castor in the Belur Taluk; ragi, paddy, sugar cane, chillies, til and avare in the Channarayapatna Taluk; dodda ragi, gidda ragi, jola, til, avare, coriander, chillies, castor, togari, green and black grams and ground nuts in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar cane, togari, til, castor and avare in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and ragi and sugar cane in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Arsikere Taluk and car paddy and sugar cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk are being harvested.

It is reported that onions and garlic in the Hassan Taluk and paddy in the low tracts of the Manjarabad Taluk have been some what damaged by excessive rain.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Except for ague and fever in parts of the Manjarabad Taluk, cholera and plague in parts of the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks, respectively, public health is generally good.

12. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are generally healthy. It is reported that a few cattle in the Hunasavalli village of Kasaba Hobli of the Alur Sub-Taluk are suffering from swelling of the abdomen.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy and sugar cane in all the taluks; ragi in parts of the Honnali, Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks; and green gram, jola and til in parts of the Honnali Taluk, are reported to be in good condition. Arecanut crop in the Nagar Taluk is reported to be attacked by "Koleroga Hula" (a new pest).

Crops sown.—Ragi in parts of the Shimoga Taluk and the Kumsi Sub-Taluk; and paddy in parts of the Tirthahalli Taluk are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in the Harnahalli village of the Kumsi Sub-Taluk and cholera in certain villages of the Channagiri Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Galalu roga" in two villages of the Channagiri Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Transplanting of paddy is still going on in parts of Chikmagalur, Koppa, Mudgere, Yedahalli and Sringeri.

Dry crops sown.—Dodda ragi in parts of Chikmagalur; and ragi, avare, jola and samé in Kadur.

Standing crops.—In Chikmagalur paddy, ragi, coffee, avare, togari, castor, jola, chillies, coriander, garlic, onions, black gram, potatoes, sugar cane, gingelly, tadagani and beans. In Kadur paddy, ragi, jola, coriander, tadagani, avare, sugar cane, togari, chillies, black and green grams, khurasani, castor and mustard. In Tarikere paddy, ragi, jola, kulthi, sugar cane, gingelly, castor, samé, navane, fenugreek, cotton, chillies, wheat, avare, togari, tadagani, black gram, green gram and areca. In Koppa paddy, sugar cane, areca and cardamom. In Mudgere paddy, ragi and sugar cane. In Yedahalli and Sringeri paddy, sugar cane and areca. Except the areca crop in Koppa which is reported to have been affected with "Koleroga", the above crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane (last year'scrop) in Bidare hobli, Kadur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. The rainfall is reported to be excessive in some parts of Mudgere and Tarikere Taluks. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in Kuruvangi village of the Kasba hobli, Chikmagalur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as sugar cane, cotton, navane, samé, horse gram, sajje, sesamum, ragi, paddy, castor, jola, togari, ground nut, avare, black gram, green gram and chillies are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Ragi in the Chitaldrug, Hosdurga and Hiriyur Taluks; jola in the Chitaldrug Taluk; navane in the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Hosdurga Taluks; cotton in the Chitaldrug and Challakere Taluks; samé in the Challakere Taluk, paddy in the Hiriyur Taluk and chillies, avare, togari and sajje in the Hosdurga Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane in the Hiriyur Taluk, yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stock are available.

11. Except for cholera in some villages in the taluks of Chitaldrug, Challakere and Davangere, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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